

### Abstract

The object of the present invention is to provide a card connecting structure and a card connector used in the same which have a minimum width that allows the guidance of the card at the time of insertion and the fastening of the received card, and that makes it possible to satisfy specifications in which space for fastening is not provided on both sides of the card, and which can sufficiently protect the solder-connected parts of the contacts. The card connecting structure comprises a card 40 that has contact pads 41 on one end, and a card connector 1 that receives this end of the card 40. Fastening means 50 that fasten the card 40 to the circuit board are disposed on the other end of the card 40 from the contact pads. Metal guide members 30 that guide the card 40 are disposed on both sides of the housing 10 (in the lengthwise direction) of the card connector 1. Each of the guide members 30 comprises a flat-plate-form guide part 31 which guides the card 40, a fastening part 32 which is fastened to the housing 10, and a soldered part 33 which is disposed between the guide part 31 and the fastening part 32, and which is soldered to the circuit board.

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